

Wells County Community Corrections

Agency Description:

- Northeastern Indiana, population of **28,199**
- Predominately white (**98.6%**), non-white (**1.4%**)
- Per capita income **\$27,738** with a poverty rate of **7.6%**
- Education: high school diploma (**87.3%**), BA Degree or higher (**14.3%**)
- Unemployment rate of **4.3%**

County Community Corrections received **266** adults and **4** juveniles during the 2007-2008 fiscal years (this does not include the referrals already being supervised prior to July 1, 2007). A total of **18** offenders in these programs were discharged as unsuccessful, **250** successful completions giving a combined success rate of **96%**.

Community Corrections Components:

- Home Detention/EM
- Work Release/Residential
- Thinking for a Change
- Community Transition Program (CTP)
- Community Service

Program Effectiveness for 2007-2008:

- Serves males, females, juveniles, felon misdemeanors, and infractions
- Employment was secured for **45** offenders during this reporting period.
- **45** offenders per month received Home Detention/EM services with a **96%** success rate during this reporting period.
- **27** offenders were CTP eligible and **5** were accepted. **3** offenders secured employment while on the CTP program during this reporting period.
- A total of **4** offenders were successfully discharged and **0** offenders unsuccessfully completed resulting in a **100%** success rate for CTP during this reporting period.
- Work Release Program maintained **12** offenders per day each month. Work release had an **87%** successful discharge rate during this reporting period.
- Community Service served **25** adults and **0** juveniles. **0** offenders participated in Community Service as a graduated sanction with a **93%** success rate during this reporting period.

Other Noteworthy Accomplishments:

- **2008** - Wells County Community Corrections expanded their operations to the Courthouse to further grow Community Corrections in their county.

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